



Docket No.: H6808.0077/P077  
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:  
Yoshiyuki Shoji et al.

Application No.: 10/524,440

Confirmation No.: 4457

Filed: April 1, 2005

Art Unit: N/A

For: DEVICE FOR SUCKING LIQUID AND  
METHOD FOR SUCKING LIQUID

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

STATUS INQUIRY

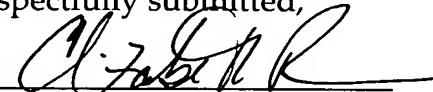
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive an Office Action from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Dated: June 1, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

By 

Mark J. Thronson

Registration No.: 33,082

Elizabeth Parsons

Registration No.: 52,499

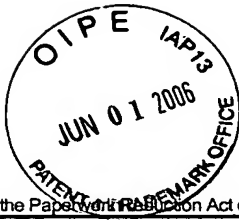
DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO MORIN &  
OSHINSKY LLP

2101 L Street NW

Washington, DC 20037-1526

(202) 785-9700

Attorneys for Applicant



IFW

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>  (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/524,440-Conf. #4457
	Filing Date	April 1, 2005
	First Named Inventor	Yoshiyuki Shoji
	Art Unit	N/A
	Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	Attorney Docket Number	H6808.0077/P077

**ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please Identify below): Return Receipt Postcard
<div>Remarks</div>		

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT**

Firm Name	DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO MORIN & OSHINSKY LLP		
Signature			
Printed name	Elizabeth Parsons		
Date	June 1, 2006	Reg. No.	52,499